



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 07738.0147

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Grant E. DUBOIS et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1761  
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Application No.: 09/838,809 ) Examiner: C. Paden  
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Filed: April 20, 2001 )  
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For: NON CALORIC FROZEN ) Confirmation No.: 3526  
CARBONATED BEVERAGE )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**


Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of August 3, 2005. A fee of \$1,020.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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